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THURSDAY, DEC. 4, 1856.

Officer Enlow arrested a man yesterday who had some \$50 or \$60 in counterfeit money in his possession. We saw two of the counterfeit notes—one of them was a new \$5 note on the Mercantile Bank of Hartford, Connecticut, and the other is a \$5 note on the Bank of Penn Township, Philadelphia. He gives his name as G. W. Fields. He had in his possession two new pair of winter gloves and three pen-knives, which were no doubt bought with counterfeit money, but he refused to tell where he purchased them.

Since the above we see from our Indianapolis exchanges that counterfeit five-dollar notes on the Mercantile Bank of Hartford, Conn., of the same description, have been put in circulation there. The vignette on these notes is a locomotive and train of cars—female figure on the left hand, resting her left arm on a shield, with the word *five* on it perpendicularly. The figure 5 is between the female figure and cars. A portrait of Gen. Harrison on the left hand lower corner—five on left hand upper corner. Dated January 18, 1856. J. W. Seymour, President; J. B. Powell, Cashier.

The Cincinnati papers notice the arrest of three men, named John S. Richards, George Burkley, and Lewis Slade, who had been attempting to pass ten-dollar notes on the Mercantile Bank of Hartford, Conn., and other spurious notes in their possession. They had just gone from Indiana. Field is doubtless one of the gang.

While speaking of counterfeit notes, we are reminded of a one-dollar counterfeit note on the Bank of Kentucky, payable at Danville, which was shown us the other day. The appearance of this counterfeit is too dark, but it is nevertheless calculated to deceive.

FIREMEN'S FAIR.—The Ladies' Fair for the benefit of disabled firemen, and the widows and orphans of deceased firemen, which has been in progress at the Odd Fellows' Hall for the past two nights, has been gotten up in splendid style and exceedingly good taste. The hall is decorated beautifully, the tables are covered with a mass of beautiful articles and presided over by lovely ladies. The refreshments are excellent. Independent, however, of all these attractions, it is due to the cause for which this fair is held that it should meet with a liberal patronage from all classes of our citizens, and we trust that the hall will be crowded nightly during its continuance.

APPOINTMENT BY THE PRESIDENT.—The President of the United States has appointed the Rev. John S. to be agent for receiving the negroes, mulattoes, or persons of color delivered from on board vessels in the prosecution of the slave trade by commanders of the United States armed vessels, according to the provisions of the act of Congress of March 3, 1819, in addition to the acts prohibiting the slave trade. Mr. S. is now in Africa as the special agent of the American Colonization Society to explore the interior of that country and select suitable places for the emigrants sent from the United States.

A SUPPLY OF COAL.—This has again become the absorbing question since the weather has turned cold. Hawesville was selling yesterday at 25 cents, and Cannel at 20 cents, but we do not know whether the same prices will rule to-day. We think still that there will be sufficient rise at Pittsburg to admit barges to come out with coal. But there is also a fair prospect for obtaining supplies from the Kanawha, Big Sandy, and Kentucky.

This is indeed a most wonderful production to have come from the pen of a school-girl:

[For the Louisville Journal.]

They come, they come, the spirits of the bright And beautiful that long since passed away. A dim, weird train of phantom memories Are gliding from my heart's deep caverns now. Gathering pale, withered flowers from the drear waste, Upon which time has brachiated its blight, to strew Upon the lonely grave of 'barid joy, And chanting low, wild dirges o'er the bop That now have failed into nothingness. And as the music vibrates in my soul Bright visionized into my throbbing brain, And through the dim realms of the shadowy past My spirit flies, and on the fairy isles Of glorious baw'ly that bloom far away In its dark ocean realm its weary wings And flings o'er each foot-print pensively, Left on the strand and marks it with a tear.

Spirits of the departed! thou dost haunt My mighty dreams, and now my soul would hold Communion with thee. A deep calm broods o'er the troubled breathings like a solemn spell, And its mysterious voice calls unto thee Through the white mists of unforgetting years And goes forth 'mid the thistles and violets In search of thee, but finds thee not, for like A fury mother then didst disappear, Leaving no trace to guide me whither thou art. And I must dash this longing in my heart And like a prisoner wear the heavy chain of life that holds me from thee. Oh when they Did tell me thou wast dead, I cursed the power That called thee hence, and madly, wildly raved Till strength and reason fled; and when I woke From that dark, dreadful dream, a blight had o'er My spirit passed, and in my heart I felt A dull, cold pain, a grief that would not vent itself in tears; its bloom was engorged As by the winter's breath, and it became Like a volcano in whose mighty breast The fury tempest raves and strives to break It prison-bars, and, baffled, sets back With such roar, telling in murrain deep It does not slumber, though it cannot wake.

Alas, then art gone, and earth to me has lost Its loveliness. The autumn time has come, Her brow wreath'd with the sunlight and the flowers, But her sweet smile has lost its magic. I O! watch the bright eldins gliding dreamily Upon the embers, and as deep thoughts Of beauty float into my soul, I turn To see its image pictured in the depths Of thy love-speaking eyes, but, greeting not Their tender gaze, I sinken turn from all. The streamlet that we loved still ripples on. Soft, gushing, the sunbeams, but a more I love its gushing song. The bright flowers breathe Their perfume on the breeze, but they bloom Upon thy grave. I seek the joyous throng And strive amid the scenes of revelry And mirth to teach my heart orgastfulness. But all in vain—gray songs of joy and mirth Fall on my spirit like a knell of death. And then I start away in solitude To muse once more upon the words of love That thou didst whisper to my heart, ere thine Grew cold beneath Death's icy seal. 'Tis said That dislocated spirits live in heaven.

I know, b. loved one, that thy pure soul Has found its home forever, there, and oh, both it's greatest and lingering look to this Dim, distant earth, where it first learned to love And first dreamed dreams of immortality? Where thy soul wanders 'mid the starlit realm Where oft it loses deep it turned from earth, Longing to fathom hidden mysteries—

Where angel's eyes more bright than ocean-gems Cast on thee witching glances, and their tones Softer than echoes of Adolian lyres

Breath words of burning passion—say! do they Woo thee by their caresses? Has thy soul

Then found a love than mine more deep and pure And in that love forgotten the dead dove It pledged to mine—do dies it cherish still Their memory—and sometimes leave its home To hover near me on life's lonely way!

I hear the rustling of thy angel wings Is in the soft twilight light that fans my brow— I feel thy heavenly breath upon my cheek— The warm breath of a sigh—! wildy spring To meet thy embrace—but only else A shadow and a vacany!

Death! Death!

Thou mystery of mysterious whate'er Thou art, I pray thee bear me unto thy home!

The love of life I spurn—Oh! Thou Supreme Eternal One, the soul Thou gavest I

Return to Thee, unshaken, even as 'twas given!

Joy! Joy, my own one, I am Death's—and thine!

IDA PRESTON.

WINCHESTER, ILL.

CONCERT TO-NIGHT.—Miss Phebe Looker, a blind young lady, who was educated at the Virginia Institution for the blind, gives a Concert to-night at the Christian Church, corner of Walnut and Fourth Streets. Miss Looker is engaged in the laudable object of paying for a homestead for her aged and destitute parents. They have another blind daughter, and their youngest child is also seriously threatened with blindness. These afflictions have entailed poverty on the parents.

Miss Looker will be assisted by Mr. Whipple and several accomplished young ladies, and we hope that the excellence of the entertainment and the meritorious purposes of Miss Looker will call forth a liberal and useful sympathy on the part of the public.

SABBATH SCHOOL CELEBRATION.—We learn

that our enterprising friends connected with the Jefferson street (near Eighth) Baptist Sabbath School celebrate its third anniversary to-night, commencing at 7 o'clock. The exercises will consist mainly of singing and speaking by the scholars. We feel well-assured that in no way can our readers spend an hour or two more pleasantly, or more effectually aid the good cause, than by encouraging both teachers and scholars by their presence on this interesting occasion.

The Secretary of the Treasury is in

readiness to purchase, until the 3d of March,

unless the amount is sooner obtained, \$1,500,

000 of United States Loans, giving the following premium: For the Stock of 1842, 10 per cent.; for Stock of 1847—48, 16 per cent.; and for Stock of 1850, 6 per cent.

REMARKABLE WORK.—Hall, Hunt, & Co. killed four thousand three hundred and thirty hogs at their establishment yesterday and will cut them to-day. Any persons who desire to see the largest and most complete packing establishment in the world in full blast should embrace the present opportunity.

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## RIVER AND STEAMBOAT MATTERS.

The river was still rising slowly last evening with 33 inches water on the falls and about 51 feet in the canal.

A dispatch to Capt. Morehead says the Kentucky river was falling yesterday at Frankfort, but a rise of twenty feet was reported above that point. From this we judge that there is also a heavy rise in the Kanawha.

From Pittsburg the news is rather unfavorable, though a farther rise was expected.

The weather night before last turned very cold and the wind blew furiously until nearly noon yesterday. The Jeffersonville ferryboats had to suspend their trips. The boat which took the Railroad passengers across early yesterday morning was over an hour making a landing, and all the passengers missed the train. The Cincinnati mailboat, Moses McLellan, had to lie by for four hours.

The Superior is the mailboat for Cincinnati to-day.

The Emma Dean is the Carrollton packet for to-day.

For New Orleans.—There is a fleet of boats going to-day. First among them is the new steamer Woodford.

Then the elegant new steamer J. H. Oglesby, commanded by Capt. B. A. Oglesby, with Mr. Sam. Geiger as clerk, both Kentuckians. The Oglesby was built at Cincinnati, is a large boat, and has superb accommodations.

The fine steamer Sultan is advertised to leave positively, and the Pete Whetstone is also to go to-day. She is an A. No. 1, cotton boat, and can accommodate a limited number of cabin and a whole regiment of deck passengers. The Wm. Bagley, Capt. Sinnett, leaves to-day.

For St. Louis.—Travelers to St. Louis cannot avail themselves of a better medium for reaching their destination than the Southerner affords. She is unsurpassed in accommodations, and better officers never walked the hurricane deck. Mr. Sherley, a worthy and exemplary young man has charge of the office.

The Wm. Knox leaves for the Tennessee river to-day.

The Cincinnati Gazette has the following:

Europa Sold.—The steamer Europa was sold yesterday to Messrs. Craig and Rector, of Newport, Ky., for the sum of \$10,000. She will be taken to the Balize, where the purchasers have a contract for deepening the mouth of the Mississippi river.

Caledonia Sold.—The steamer Caledonia was sold at Pittsburg, to Capt. A. Smith for thirteen thousand dollars.

MORE DISASTERS ON THE LAKES.—The gale of Saturday was very severe on Lake Erie. We learn by telegraphic dispatches that the propeller Manhattan, while attempting to enter the harbor of Cleveland, ran against the pier and became a total wreck; no lives lost. She was insured for \$10,000.

The steamer Golden Gate, running between Dunkirk and Detroit, went ashore on the bar at Erie, while endeavoring to run into that port during a terrific storm of wind, accompanied with snow. She soon parted in the middle and went to pieces. It was impossible for a life-boat to reach her. Her officers and crew succeeded in gaining the shore, but one of them shortly afterward died.

## [COMMUNICATED.]

As I have seen in the papers that I have entered a disclaimer in the city court of Louisville, I take this opportunity to say I have not done any such thing, which can be seen by reference to the papers in said court. I retract, at the request of my counsel, what I had said of L. H. Rousseau, W. T. Haggard, and N. Wolf, for the reason that I could not prove what I had said of them being bribed. I will, however, say to the people of this city that there was no necessity for my going to the prison as I did. If I had been informed in time to have gotten security, I had some friends here and could have given the required bail; but, instead of that, I stayed more than two hours in my lawyer's office, depending on him, when, in that time, I could have seen my friends, who would have been my bail, and have saved me the disgrace, in this city, of ten or eighteen hours' imprisonment in the lowest of prisons; but I asked no one to go my bail except my counsel, and he was a stranger to me, and I did not have the money with me to deposit with him for my appearance at court.

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FUGITIVE SLAVES RECAPTURED.—Two runaway negroes were captured at Salem Monday and brought down on the cars last evening. It appears they crossed the river on Sunday and traveled on the railroad track on Sunday night. Having arrived within five miles of Salem on Monday morning, they gave a boy three dollars to take them to that place. On reaching Salem, they went to a public house and called for their breakfast, at the same time asking for a private room to eat in. This, of course, excited suspicion, and a man named McKinney demanded of one of the negroes his free papers. The negro immediately drew a pistol and pointed it at McKinney's breast, but the cap exploded and no damage was done. The bystanders then seized this negro, when his companion started to run. He was, however, pursued and arrested, and both were brought down, as stated, last evening. They belong to Louisville, but we did not hear the name of the owner. One of them had a certificate stating that the bearer was a free man, signed with the name of Capt. James Montgomery. This, however, was pronounced a forgery by those acquainted with Capt. M.'s handwriting. Both had through tickets purchased at the Louisville office. It is quite evident that there is a gang of scoundrels in Louisville who are engaged in running off negroes. We hope they may be captured and punished.—*New Albany Ledger, Dec. 3.*

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**THE MORNING PAPERS** of this city, evidently chagrined at the superior enterprise of the Bulletin and Journal in procuring the President's message one day in advance of them, have been guilty of a petty meanness unworthy even of them. They have been in the habit of copying items from the Bulletin without crediting them, but in reference to the President's message they have done worse than this. With the Bulletin, yesterday, a half sheet of the Weekly Journal was sent out containing the President's message. Copies of the message were procured by us at considerable expense and were received at this office by a special messenger at 9 A. M. yesterday. It was published in the Weekly Journal, but was not circulated in the city until the Bulletin was issued. None of the other offices knew that the message was in the city until after it had been printed by us, but, as soon as they procured one of the copies of the Weekly Journal containing it, they placed it in the hands of their printers and had it set up. The Democrat acknowledges the receipt of a copy from a gentleman in the interior of Ohio, leaving it to be inferred that it printed the message from that copy, which could not have been received until after 6 P. M., when it had the entire or nearly the entire document in type, copied from the extras of this office. These papers should either cease their babbling about their great enterprise or stop their pilfering from the Bulletin and Journal without giving the usual credit.

**THE BRITISH NAVY.**—There were in commission, on the 1st of November, 264 British ships-of-war, mounting 5,037 guns and manned by 49,644 men; of these, 24 ships, mounting 426 guns and manned by 4,218 men, had been ordered home, leaving in commission 240 ships, 4,612 guns, and 45,426 men. These figures show that since the ratification of the peace a reduction has taken place equal to 61 sail, 1,194 guns, and 13,691 men. The largest fleet in commission is in the Mediterranean, numbering 48 ships, 917 guns, and 10,728 men. The next largest is on the North American and West Indian station, numbering 28 ships, 562 guns, and 5,940 men. The next is the East Indian fleet, comprising 27 ships, 389 guns, and 4,068 men. On the southeast coast of America there are 8 ships, 121 guns, and 1,352 men, and on the west coast of America 10 ships, 266 guns, and 2,537 men.

**CHINESE SUGAR CANE.**—It will be seen from an article which we copy from an Illinois paper that the Chinese sugar cane has been successfully cultivated in Illinois. It has been tried in Wabash county of that State, and the result is so successful as to induce Mr. Kroh, the cultivator, to declare that "in 1850, the Southern planter will have no sole for his sugar in the State of Illinois."

According to Mr. Kroh's statement, one-half acre of frosted cane yielded forty-five gallons of molasses, "which, in flavor and beautiful red color, is far superior to any molasses obtained at the South." So unfavorable, moreover, were the circumstances under which this first trial were conducted, that the half acre did not produce a greater quantity of stalks than could, with more careful treatment, be grown on one-quarter of an acre.

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**THE NEW GUANO DEPOSITS.**—The Washington Star men ions a rumor that the Government of the United States will shortly order a public vessel, now on the Pacific coast, to visit, inspect, and survey the guano islands (the property of American citizens) in the South Pacific, which were lately visited by Com. Marvin.

**BROUGHAM'S GREAT FEAT TRAVESTIED.**—Sandford's Ethiopian troupe gave two performances in Philadelphia a few nights ago, being conveyed *à la Poore's* apples, in wheelbarrows from Odd Fellows' Hall, West Philadelphia, to the Opera House in Chestnut street. The feat was successfully accomplished amidst the greatest excitement.

**FREEMASONS IN TURKEY.**—There are three Freemason lodges in Smyrna, and one is about to be opened in Constantinople. The feeling in favor of Masonry is said to be gaining ground, and it is not feared that the Ottoman Government will in any way interfere in the establishment of lodges.

**WONDERFUL POWERS OF MACHINERY.**—The New York Dutchman recently saw some burnt peas put into a hopper of a coffee-mill, and in less than two minutes they were occupying a place in a grocery window and labelled "Old Government Java."

**THE CINCINNATI ENQUIRER** stated a few days ago that there was then at that place an amount of manufactures, the value of which is moderately estimated at \$3,000,000, waiting to be shipped as soon as a sufficient rise in the Ohio river shall take place.

**THE RICHMOND ENQUIRER** announces that books of subscription are now open for a telegraph line from that city to Staunton, with intermediate offices at Charlottesville, Gordonsville, Waynesborough, and Louisa Courthouse.

**IT IS SAID** the Hon. Geo. G. Duan, member of Congress from Indiana, will be unable to reach Washington this winter on account of ill-health.

**THE WAY THE MONEY GOES.**—The Clerk of the House of Representatives has just published an official statement of the appropriations regular and defective, of the 1st and 2d sessions of the 34th Congress. The following are the aggregated items:

Civil, Diplomatic, and Miscellaneous, \$29,634,395 70  
Army, Fortifications, and Military Academy, 15,776,159 09  
Indian Department and Pensions, 3,980,917 85  
Naval Service, 11,285,045 59  
Post Office Department, 13,581,681 00  
Ocean Mail Steamer Service, 2,013,600 00

Total, \$67,271,769 23

[From the Grayville (Ill.) Herald.]

**THE CHINESE SUGAR CANE IN SOUTHERN ILLINOIS.**—*Great Success in its Culture.*—Being requested by many to publish a statement, through the columns of your paper, of my experience with and the value of the Chinese sugar cane, I therefore send you the following statement which you will please insert:

On the 25th of May I planted about half an acre of ground, one year old. A portion of the soil was low and wet in the spring; in fact I covered the seed with mud; the other part was high and sandy; the consequence was when the dry season set in the wet part baked very hard and the high burnt up for want of rain. I plowed it when about ten inches high, and that was all the working it got with the exception of a slight hoeing previous to plowing; my object was to ascertain the amount of saccharine matter contained in the stalks, and supposed enough would grow to make the experiment.

Many of the stalks grew from sixteen to twenty-four feet high (in the low ground it only grew twelve feet). Having made a mill in which to grind it, I commenced on the 24th of September.

The cane then had received two or three frosts which slightly injured the taste of the water.

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**A NOVEL MOVEMENT.**—We extract from the Paris correspondence of the New York Journal of Commerce the following statement:

"We are told that a Congress is to be assembled in Brussels next year, to decide upon the improvements to be effected in male and female attire. Delegates are to be sent from all nations to defend their national coiffures, and inventors will be allowed to produce new models. The round hats now worn by gentlemen and the enormous skirts of the ladies are to be especially discussed by the Congress. This body will fix upon another male head-dress, and engage to wear the hat which will be accepted by the delegates. Measures are to be proposed to persuade the fair sex to adopt a more moderate volume of skirt, as the present style produces many evils; the enormous expense of so many yards of silk, the raising of rents in consequence of the necessity of wide stair-cases and large saloons, &c. All this is pleasant irony if rather doubtful as matter of fact.

**IOWA ELECTION—OFFICIAL.**

	Fremont	Buchanan	Fillmore
Adair,	72	27	4
Adams,	113	78	3
Appanoose,	191	854	487
Atalameeke,	630	500	28
Audubon	23	31	4
Benton,	558	426	123
Black Hawk,	566	282	33
Boone,	203	319	66
Bremer,	327	172	48
Builer,	243	141	29
Buchanan,	709	343	21
Calhoun,	9	14	—
Cass,	132	84	—
Cedar,	1,016	701	176
Cerro Gordo,	101	49	1
Chickasaw,	351	102	32
Clark,	346	338	—
Crawford,	36	8	—
Clayton,	1,420	754	67
Clinton,	1,245	839	142
Dallas,	487	319	20
Davis,	201	1,014	752
Decatur,	243	583	133
Delaware,	801	500	149
Des Moines,	1,338	1,413	522
Dubuque,	1,322	2,427	256
Fayette,	1,043	452	114
Floyd,	224	124	14
Franklin,	120	33	—
Fremont,	166	203	103
Greens,	65	117	—
Guthrie,	196	205	12
Harrison,	170	121	9
Hardin,	583	195	18
Henry,	1,707	767	308
Howard,	207	63	—
Iowa,	492	326	79
Jackson,	1,163	1,332	276
Jasper,	878	455	33
Jefferson,	1,188	1,023	96
Johnson,	1,215	964	282
Jones,	964	683	10
Kookuk,	895	830	197
Kossuth,	85	12	—
Lee,	1,780	2,158	650
Linn,	1,652	971	273
Louisa,	993	642	200
Lucas,	288	355	176
Mahaska,	1,284	940	268
Madison,	580	519	61
Marshall,	531	199	104
Mills,	287	153	102
Mitchell,	314	135	1
Monroe,	622	603	93
Menawa,	41	56	13
Montgomery,	63	58	17
Muscataine,	1,091	895	320
Page,	100	171	189
Polk,	1,065	888	91
Pottawatomie,	259	353	84
Powershiek,	459	255	87
Ringgold,	92	52	64
Scott,	1,675	1,119	329
Sac,	25	15	—
Shelby,	62	19	79
Story,	232	272	90
Tama,	470	296	90
Taylor,	119	183	31
Union,	102	121	17
Van Buren,	1,092	1,396	324
Wapello,	1,093	1,175	252
Warren,	855	513	102
Washington,	1,188	629	43
Wayne,	133	368	170
Webster,	389	209	31
Winneshiek,	770	209	13
Wright,	91	24	—
Total,	44,127	36,241	9,444

**MORTALITY FROM CHLOROFORM.**—It appears that the mortality in the London hospitals has increased since the introduction of etherisation from 21 to 24 per cent, or, to vary the expression, instead of amputation being fatal in a less proportion than one in four of those operated upon, it now proves fatal to one in three. Is not so enormous a sacrifice of life too high a price to be paid for anaesthesia, even granting that this cannot be otherwise obtained with perfect safety? Is life to be held as nothing when compared to pain?

**Medical Times and Gazette.**

**BOY BABIES.**—A humorous old friend of ours full of innocent ways and quaint conceits, whose misfortune it has almost always been to be one on the losing side in politics, provoked a smile from us the other day as he sat at our table meditating the prospect of still another defeat.

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